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Sir:

This communication responds to the Final Office Action dated July 29, 2005. Applicants enclose with this communication a submission filed October 7, 2005, requesting Express Abandonment of co-pending Application No. 10/475,962.

Amendments to the Abstract are presented as a new Abstract attached to this document for insertion after the claim pages of the application (or to replace the previously submitted Abstract).

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 10 of this document.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 13 of this document, and include an attached replacement drawing sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: